

DAILY COURIER.

LOUISVILLE.
THURSDAY MORNING.....MAY 20

Southern Rights Nominations.

For Congress,
THIRD DISTRICT,
JOS. H. LEWIS, of Barren.

EIGHTH DISTRICT,
WM. E. SIMMS, of Bourbon.

NINTH DISTRICT,
COL. JNO. S. WILLIAMS, of Clark.

To Correspondents.

We must again crave the indulgence of our correspondents. We have now on our table two or three score of communications, many of them well written, some of them very able, and nearly all correct in principle, which we cannot print for want of room in our columns.

To insure attention and publication, all communications for the Courier should be written on but one side of the paper, and must be brief.

We have every disposition to oblige our friends by the publication of letters which they are kind enough to send us, but at this time we cannot consult their wishes or ours.

Read the News.

The regular circulation of the Daily Courier is almost twice as great as it was on the first of January last, and larger by thousands than at any former period.

The circulation of the Weekly Courier, though much greater than heretofore, has not increased in the same proportion.

We have two reasons now for asking our friends in the State and out of the State to make an earnest effort to circulate the Courier in their respective neighborhoods. First, the decline in the business and trade of the city, caused almost wholly by the unholly and unjustifiable war waged by the Administration against the Southern States, and by its illegal and unwarrantable interference with the navigation of the Ohio and Mississippi rivers and with the domestic commerce heretofore carried on between the States, has so affected our advertising and job business, in common with that of all other newspapers in the country, as to make an increased circulation necessary to justify the expense incurred by us in securing the services of the people.

That there is a class of persons entertained by those with whom he cooperated sixty days ago, he is now denominated by the organ of the "Union party" in terms scarcely less emphatic than it is wont to bestow on such "traitors" as MAGRATH, BRACKIN, HENRY, HORN, &c.

The following notice of Gov. Morehead's letter is from the Journal of Tuesday, and will serve to show the *aspects* of the "Union" movement in the State, and to open the eyes of thousands of men who loved the "Union" and thought they were "Union men," but who approach by every word of the letter which the Organ attacks vigorously:

"The letter is a very fair manifestation of the feelings of the people of Kentucky towards the Government. Morehead, however, is not bound to, nor does he care to, give up his political friends have given him credit to the public in advance, of all contemporaries. Second, it is necessary to the success of the great cause of Southern rights, that the people shall be fully informed as to current events in and out of the State; that they shall be advised of the illegal and unconstitutional acts of the present Administration; that they shall be told of the purposes, plots, intrigues, and acts of those among us who sympathize with the usurpers at Washington; that they shall hear of the steps being made to arm one party in the State for a war against another party, and so to inaugurate a bloody and devastating contest between our own fellow citizens on our own soil; that they shall have the evidence of the perfidy of those who are endeavoring to bring Abolition troops into our midst to establish among us the military despotism under which the people of Missouri and Maryland now groan;—and this information will be obtained from the Courier, which has faithfully chronicled, as it will continue to record, every event the knowledge of which is necessary to enable the freemen of the Border States to understand their position and comprehend the dangers that surround them.

For these reasons we want twenty thousand new subscribers to the Weekly Courier within the next month; and certainly we should have them from Kentucky alone, saying nothing of the thousands we may reasonably expect from Tennessee and Missouri.

The political events of the next sixty days will be of the utmost importance particularly to the people of Kentucky. Members of Congress are to be elected on the 20th of June. Congress meets at Washington on the 4th of July. Members of the State Legislature will be chosen in August. And in all these things, the people of Kentucky are deeply interested. In the elections for members of Congress and for the Legislature, the Courier must, from its present immense circulation, exert great influence; and two hundred additional copies in each county would effect great good.

In the meantime, military movements on a gigantic scale rivet the attention of millions, and none are more intensely interested than the people of Kentucky in the result. This expectation of great events now apparently at hand, is favorable to the distribution of newspapers, and should make ours—the largest, cheapest, and most candid and impartial in the country—eagerly sought for.

Then, ask the friends of the South, of Kentucky, of her institutions, to unite in an earnest effort to put the Weekly Courier into every house in the State, that good may thereby come to them and to our beloved Commonwealth.

Hon. Archie Dixon.

For a long period Gov. Dixons has been a man of mark in Kentucky. He is emphatically a "representative man." Possessed of fine talents, a ready and brilliant eloquence, frank, bold, ardent, enthusiastic, a true hero and soldier, no man in the State more greatly represents the dashing, bold Kentucky. Knowing this, we have watched his course in recent political events with much interest. We were well advised of his devotion at the Constitutional Convention, and the military, the political, and the social life of the State, and the people of Kentucky are deeply interested.

This contingency is inevitable. The Southern Confederacy is now a fact and one that must soon be acknowledged by the most stupid or unwilling.

Will the Journal inform its readers and the public whether it agrees with these distinguished gentlemen in the preference they have expressed? Or if it rather adheres to Brigadier General LOVELL H. ROBERTS in his preference for a Northern to the South?

Dear Journal, we assure you that many of the "Union" men of the State would like to be informed as to your preference.

The Journal never omits an opportunity to praise the officers or soldiers who have enlisted to carry out LINCOLN's unconstitutional, wicked, and ruinous policy.

It is not strange, therefore, that it gives Dr. W. LEE WHITE a notice in connection with COL SUMPTER ANDERSON."

Dr. W. LEE WHITE is pretty well remembered in this city.

We wonder if Dr. W. LEE WHITE, or some of his old friends, could now express the agreement between said Dr. W. LEE WHITE and BRENNAN, now and strictly confidential. Yours, MABEL.

From Baltimore.

THE SUPREME COURT VS. MILITARY AUTHORITY.

BALTIMORE, Tuesday May 22.

To the Editors of the "C. Courier"—The habeas corpus case of John Morrison was cited to day, as was expected that it would be heard before Mr. Justice TANEY to decide the writ, was not admitted.

After that officer had made his statement, the Court Justice TANEY delivered the following decision: "The law of habeas corpus did not extend its protection to the military, but it did to the civil authority, to be done according to law."

So far as my power goes, the Court feels its duty to enforce its protest against the contemplated trial. The military is subject to the law of the land, and will briefly set down the course I intend to pursue.

John H. RITTER.

Home Guards! Attention.

I HAVE in store and for sale, 2 CASES GREY SATIN, white color; also, GREY SATIN, blue color; also, 2 CASES GOLD LACE and MILITARY BUTTONS.

DR. J. DELPH, Mayor.

The White Sulphur Springs,

Greenbrier County, Va.

THIS colored Water Pipe will be opened for the reception of visitors on the 1st Inst.

TAXES OR FEES.

NOTICE—We hereby give all persons having a claim against us for taxes or fees, or any other debts due us, until the 1st of June, 1861, to pay the same, and the public are directed to receive no more than the amount due us.

J. M. DELPH, Mayor.

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CONSUMERS of Richardsons Linens, and those

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COOLING & BLUNDER.

MAIN STREET, BETWEEN FIRST AND SECOND.

JOHN L. ANDERSON.

BY EXPRESS.

JUST RECEIVED—A few accounts of new and elegant fashions for ladies, and a few articles of men's wear, and some new and improved articles for men.

JOHN L. ANDERSON.

NOTICE—We have received the above pieces, and will make up to order.

JOHN L. ANDERSON.

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